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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant : Michael Badding, et al  
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A Protective Coating and a Method for Making Such  
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AMENDMENT TO BE INCLUDED WITH RCE

Sir:

In response to the Office action of September 5, 2006, please amend the above-identified as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.